

Title (en)
Printing and delivery of digital images and text via a central receiving agency

Title (de)
Drucken und Lieferung von digitalen Bildern und Text über ein zentrales Empfangssystem

Title (fr)
Impression et livraison d'images numériques et textes par un dispositif central de réception

Publication
EP 1093288 A2 20010418 (EN)

Application
EP 00203416 A 20001002

Priority
US 41669799 A 19991012

Abstract (en)
A method of delivering printed images to a recipient, includes the steps of electronically transmitting digital images and image locator information from a location remote from and over a communication channel to a central receiving agency which stores such images and locator information in memory; and identifying a particular stored image in the memory using the corresponding image locator information and the location of one or more recipients and printing locations corresponding to each of the recipients. The method further includes transmitting the identified particular stored image in the memory to the printing location of each of the recipients; and printing the image at the printing location of each of the recipients and delivering the printed image to the location corresponding to of each of the recipients. <IMAGE>

IPC 1-7
H04N 1/00

IPC 8 full level
G06F 3/12 (2006.01); **G06F 13/00** (2006.01); **G06Q 50/00** (2006.01); **H04N 1/00** (2006.01); **H04N 1/32** (2006.01)

CPC (source: EP US)
H04N 1/00249 (2013.01 - EP US); **H04N 1/32128** (2013.01 - EP US); **H04N 2201/3242** (2013.01 - EP US)

Cited by
GB2380823A; US7333921B2; EP1304862A3; CN100435131C; WO02089463A1; US9983836B2; US10346105B2

Designated contracting state (EPC)
DE FR GB

DOCDB simple family (publication)
EP 1093288 A2 20010418; EP 1093288 A3 20020814; EP 1093288 B1 20040804; DE 60012650 D1 20040909; DE 60012650 T2 20050908;
JP 2001175579 A 20010629; US 2004085576 A1 20040506; US 6798531 B1 20040928

DOCDB simple family (application)
EP 00203416 A 20001002; DE 60012650 T 20001002; JP 2000306075 A 20001005; US 41669799 A 19991012; US 69505403 A 20031028